R A L P H BILL STATUS May 14, 2003 REPORT OF LAST DAY'S ACTION - HOUSE

- SB 7 THEUNISSEN TOPS
  Extends time for military personnel to declare La. their official state of legal residence of record for TOPS eligibility from 60 days after reporting to 180 days. (gov sig)
  Discharged from the committee on EDUCATION.
  Read by title, returned to the calendar subject to call.
- SB 10 THEUNISSEN LOCAL FINANCE
  Provides for the use of unexpended and unencumbered funds in the witness fee account for the town of Welsh. (gov sig)
  Received in the House from the Senate, rules suspended, read by title.
- SB 24 DUPRE AMUSEMENTS/SPORTS

  Limits the authority of the state fire marshal to enter certain premises in order to inspect air-supported amusement structures.

  Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on COMMERCE.
- SB 35 GAUTREAUX FEES/LICENSES/PERMITS
  Authorizes the department to disqualify applicants for renewal of the fresh products license.
  Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.
- SB 46 MCPHERSON TOPS
  Permits, subject to certain limitations, subsequent use of TOPS
  awards at eligible La. institutions by otherwise qualified
  students who attended out-of-state colleges or universities.
  (gov sig)
  Reported favorably. (11,0) (Regular) Referred to the Legislative
  Bureau.
- SB 70 GAUTREAUX MOTOR VEHICLES

  Prohibits driving a motor vehicle with a television capable of receiving any pre-recorded visual presentation unless the TV is behind the driver's seat or not visible to the driver while he is operating the vehicle and provides for certain exceptions.

  Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.
- SB 75 MARIONNEAUX HUNTERS/HUNTING
  Provides for statewide uniformity in size and number of antlers,
  an antlered buck deer must possess.
  Read by title, under the rules, referred to the
  Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.
- SB 90 MCPHERSON INTERNET

  Creates a "no junk mail" listing of residential electronic mail subscribers. (gov sig) (2/3-CA7s2.1(A))

  Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on COMMERCE.
- SB 99 CAIN WATER/WATERWAYS
  Creates the Ground Water Resource Commission. (7/1/03)
  Signed by the Speaker of the House.
- SB 120 LENTINI PUBLIC CONTRACTS
  Authorizes a parish or municipality with a population exceeding 425,000 to require a contractor to pay for additional costs incurred for inspection of a project under certain conditions.

  (gov sig)
  Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on APPROPRIATIONS.
- SB 138 DARDENNE INSURERS
  Requires health insurance policies to provide coverage for services rendered by registered nurse first assistants.
  Reported with amendments. (12,0) (Regular) Referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- SB 150 DUPRE CONTRACTS

  Provides that contingent fee agreement between an insured and a public adjuster is against public policy and is null and void.

  Reported favorably. (9,0) (Regular) Referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- SB 177 HEITMEIER BANKS/BANKING
  Constitutional amendment to authorize public funds to be loaned or pledged by a state infrastructure bank to fund eligible infrastructure projects.

  Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on APPROPRIATIONS.

SB 191 TEACHERS RETIREMENT BOISSIERE Provides with respect to the Initial Lump-Sum Benefit. (7/1/03) Received in the House from the Senate, rules suspended, read by title. SB 201 BOISSIERE TEACHERS RETIREMENT Provides with respect to rollover provisions. (7/1/03) Received in the House from the Senate, rules suspended, read by title. SB 210 BARHAM PUBLIC LANDS Authorizes the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries to sell or exchange title to certain property in Ouachita and Morehouse parishes. (gov sig) Signed by the Speaker of the House. SB 215 RETIREMENT SYSTEMS Repeals disability provisions related to the Louisiana State University Retirement System. (7/1/03) Received in the House from the Senate, rules suspended, read by title. SB 229 HOLLIS INSURANCE DEPARTMENT Provides for continuing education credit for licensed insurance agents and brokers. Reported favorably. (10,0) (Regular) Referred to the Legislative Bureau. 241 SB MARIONNEAUX STATE EMPLOYEE RET Provides cost-of-living adjustment for members of Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System who retire prior to age fifty-five. (gov sig) Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on RETIREMENT. SB 246 M SMITH PUBLIC LANDS Authorizes the exchange of certain land in Sabine Parish owned by Blue Lake Village, Inc. (gov sig) Signed by the Speaker of the House. SB 265 HOYT TRAFFIC Removes prohibitions of certain agencies contracting with collection agencies and credit information agencies for services relative to unpaid parking fines. Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS. SB 298 **GENETICS** Extends the ban on human cloning until July 1, 2006. Reported favorably. (11,0) (Regular) Referred to the Legislative Bureau. SB 323 LENTINI ROADS/HIGHWAYS Requires construction involving lane closures on controlled access interstate highways during off-peak hours. Received in the House from the Senate, rules suspended, read by title. SB 336 C FIELDS WORKERS' COMPENSATION Prohibits suspension of surgical procedures during pendency of appeal. Received in the House from the Senate, rules suspended, read by title. SB 355 LENTINI AMUSEMENTS/SPORTS Provides that inspections of amusement rides and attractions be performed by an inspector who is not the operator of the amusement ride or attraction to be inspected. Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on COMMERCE. THEUNISSEN SB 364 TOPS Revises the required duration of residency from 24 months prior to graduation to the last two academic years prior to graduation and revises the citizenship requirements. (gov sig) Reported with amendments. (12,0) (Regular) Referred to the Legislative Bureau. PUBLIC SFTY/CORRECT DEPT 367 SB SCHEDLER

Requires the office of motor vehicles to collect certain

Read by title, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.

SB 381 SCHEDLER FUNDS/FUNDING

statistical information. (gov sig) Designated duplicate of HB 350 .

Removes the authority of the Department of Environmental Quality to administer the Drinking Water Revolving Loan Fund Program and authorizes the Department of Health and Hospitals to administer the fund. (gov sig)

Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments.

SB 408 GAUTREAUX INSURANCE MANDATES

Provides for health insurance coverage for hearing aids for minor children

Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on INSURANCE.

SB 413 LOCAL OFFICIALS

> Provides a procedure for the appointment or election of the chief of police in municipalities with a population of two thousand five hundred or less.

Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on MUN & PAROC AFFAIRS.

M SMITH SB 414 COURTS

Authorizes certain villages to appoint a court magistrate. Received in the House from the Senate, rules suspended, read by title.

SB 420 **INSURERS** 

Provides for Patient's Bill of Rights.

Reported favorably. (11,0) (Regular) Referred to the Legislative Bureau.

TEACHERS RETIREMENT SB 427 BOISSIERE

Provides with respect to election procedures. (7/1/03)Received in the House from the Senate, rules suspended, read by title.

SB 428 BOISSIERE TEACHERS RETIREMENT

Provides with respect to contribution limits. (7/1/03)Received in the House from the Senate, rules suspended, read by title.

SB 458 DUPRE PRIVILEGES/LIENS

Requires the mortgagee to cancel a residential mortgage inspection where a mortgage has been granted to finance acquisition or construction.

Read by title, returned to the calendar subject to call.

SB 459 TOPS

Provides for the eligibility of the dependent child of a military member who is not and does not become a state resident, but who resides in the state under permanent change of station orders. (gov sig)

Reported with amendments. (10,0) (Regular) Referred to the Legislative Bureau.

SB 463

MCPHERSON PUBLIC LANDS
Authorizes transfer of Fort Randolph and Fort Buhlow properties in Rapides Parish from the Department of Health and Hospitals to the Department of Culture, Recreation and Tourism under certain conditions.

Signed by the Speaker of the House.

SB 474 INSURANCE DEPARTMENT

Insurance does not include certain trust funds established to pay professional malpractice or public liability claims against members of societies of a statewide hospital association.

Reported favorably. (11,0) (Regular) Referred to the Legislative Bureau.

SB 475 THOMAS SPECIAL DISTRICTS

> Creates the Washington Parish Reservoir District. (gov sig) Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments.

SB 485 FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS HOLLIS

Revises provisions relative to the operation and closure of branch offices. (gov sig)

Signed by the Speaker of the House.

SB 487 HOLLIS FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS

Allows after-the-fact approval of amendments to articles of incorporation. (gov sig)

Signed by the Speaker of the House.

FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS SB 489 HOLLIS

Revises certain dividend and capital surplus requirements of financial institutions. (gov sig)

Signed by the Speaker of the House.

- SB 496 HOLLIS FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS

  Revises provisions relative to share exchanges. (gov sig)

  Signed by the Speaker of the House.
- SB 500 SCHEDLER HEALTH/HOSPITALS DEPT

  Extends moratoria on mental health clinics and centers, long-term care hospital facilities, nursing facilities, and home health agencies through July 1, 2008 and adds to and places a moratorium on designation of rural hospitals. (gov sig)

  Received in the House from the Senate, rules suspended, read by title.
- SB 528 C D JONES CRIMINAL PROCEDURE
  Removes misdemeanor crime of carnal knowledge from the list of crimes the sentences for which may not be diminished for good behavior.

Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on ADMIN CRIM JUSTICE.

- SB 551 B JONES TAX/TAXATION
  Enacts the Uniform Local Sales Tax Code [the UTC] by gathering various provisions applicable to local sales and use taxes and requires local sales tax to be administered and collected in conformity with such provisions. (7/1/03)
  Reported with Legislative Bureau amendments.
- SB 556 MCPHERSON PUBLIC CONTRACTS
  Requires legislative approval of certain cooperative endeavor agreements.
  Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on APPROPRIATIONS.
- SB 574 DARDENNE FUNDS/FUNDING
  Provides for transition of assistance recipients from cash assistance to self-reliance.
  Signed by the Speaker of the House.
- SB 607 HOLDEN TUITION
  Establishes a program providing tuition of skill training at public technical colleges for graduates from the La. National Guard's Youth Challenge Program who earn a GED. (gov sig)
  Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on APPROPRIATIONS.
- SB 635 BOISSIERE TEACHERS RETIREMENT
  Repeals the alternative contribution plan. (7/1/03)
  Received in the House from the Senate, rules suspended, read by title.
- SB 648 HEITMEIER PAWNBROKERS

  Provides for the regulation of pawnbrokers, license eligibility, requirements to provide certain information, service charges and maturity date. (9/1/03)

  Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on COMMERCE.
- SB 657 HEITMEIER PUBLIC LANDS
  Authorizes transfer of certain state property, located in Winn
  Parish, from the Department of Transportation and Development,
  to the office of family support in the Department of Social
  Services. (gov sig)
  Read by title, returned to the calendar subject to call.
- SB 684 ULLO LIABILITY
  Provides for civil immunity from liability for forceful entry to secure protective custody.

  Received in the House from the Senate, rules suspended, read by title.
- SB 691 ULLO LIABILITY

  Exempts from liability certain participants of the "Amber Alert" program. (gov sig)

  Signed by the Speaker of the House.
- SB 703 SCHEDLER ELECTROLOGISTS

  Provides for the membership, terms of office, and domicile of the State Board of Electrologist Examiners, and to provide for requirements for licensed electrologist instructors. (gov sig)

  Received in the House from the Senate, rules suspended, read by title.
- SB 704 IRONS FUNDS/FUNDING
  Creates the Housing Development Trust Fund. (7/1/03)
  Read by title, under the rules, referred to the
  Committee on APPROPRIATIONS.

- SB 705 SCHEDLER CIVIL PROCEDURE
  Provides that certain records of the La. Bureau of Criminal
  Identification and Information shall be privileged.
  Read by title, under the rules, referred to the
  Committee on CIVIL LAW&PROCEDURE.

  SB 722 HAINKEL FIREFIGHTERS RETIREMENT
  Relative to computing employer contribution rates, changes the
  amortization period for investment gains and losses from 15
  years to 30 years. (gov sig)
  Received in the House from the Senate, rules suspended,
- SB 733 ADLEY ENERGY PRODUCTION

  Provides for termination of drilling units after five years of no activity.

  Received in the House from the Senate, rules suspended, read by title.

read by title.

- SB 767 CHAISSON CRIME/PUNISHMENT
  Creates the crime of unlawful refusal to submit to chemical tests to determine blood alcohol content after refusal to submit on two previous and separate occasions.

  Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on ADMIN CRIM JUSTICE.
- SB 773 BOISSIERE LIABILITY INSURANCE
  Provides that a reasonable fee, not to exceed \$20.00, may be charged for accident reports in a parish with a population in excess of 475,000.

  Received in the House from the Senate, rules suspended, read by title.
- SB 779 M SMITH AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES

  Provides various changes relative to the Louisiana Egg
  Commission. (7/1/03)

  Signed by the Speaker of the House.
- SB 794 C D JONES ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT
  Requires participation with the Department of Labor to prioritize funding for economic development zones, renewal communities, and small and disadvantaged businesses.

  Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on COMMERCE.
- SB 823 M SMITH MUSEUMS

  Provides for the placement of certain museums in the office of the state museum in the Dept. of Culture, Recreation and Tourism. (gov sig)

  Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on MUN & PAROC AFFAIRS.
- SB 873 JOHNSON PARISHES
  Authorizes an increase in the penalty for illegal dumping in Orleans Parish.

  Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments.
- SB 882 MALONE ELECTION CODE

  Authorizes certain elected officials to contest the candidacy of a person in a primary election.

  Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on HOUSE & GOV AFFAIRS.
- SB 886 HOYT COMMERCIAL REGULATIONS

  Prohibits the home solicitation of any person where the loan encumbers the primary residence of the consumer for purposes of home improvements.

  Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on COMMERCE.
- SB 888 DARDENNE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

  Creates the "Louisiana Major Projects Development Authority
  Act".

  Read by title, under the rules, referred to the

  Committee on COMMERCE.
- SB 889 HAINKEL PUBLIC EMPLOYEES

  Provides for removal of public employees for conviction of a felony. (gov sig)

  Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on HOUSE & GOV AFFAIRS.
- SB 890 HAINKEL CONFIRMATION
  Removes the required Senate reconfirmation for certain boards and commissions.
  Read by title, under the rules, referred to the

Committee on HOUSE & GOV AFFAIRS.

SB 917 MALONE MOTOR CARRIERS

Exempts motor carriers of salt water from proving public convenience and necessity.

Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.

- SB 937 HINES OPTOMETRISTS
  - Relative to the practice of optometry. (2/3-CA7s2.1(A))
    Read by title, under the rules, referred to the
    Committee on HEALTH & WELFARE.
- SB 938 SCHEDLER LEGISLATIVE AGENCIES

  Provides for the legislative actuary.(07-01/03)

  Read by title, under the rules, referred to the

  Committee on HOUSE & GOV AFFAIRS.
- SB 973 BOISSIERE ROADS/HIGHWAYS
  Provides for the procedure of certain appointments to the board of commissioners of the Regional Transit Authority.

  Received in the House from the Senate, rules suspended, read by title.
- SB 975 DARDENNE FAMILY LAW

  Provides relative to relocation of a child.

  Received in the House from the Senate, rules suspended, read by title.
- SB 986 IRONS LOCAL RETIREMENT
  Authorizes eligible members to elect to participate in the
  Deferred Retirement Option Plan on a retroactive basis and
  receive a lump sum benefit of up to five years based upon the
  value of the pension at the retroactive date selected.
  Received in the House from the Senate, rules suspended,
  read by title.
- SB 989 HINES MALPRACTICE
  Provides relative to a medical review panel.
  Received in the House from the Senate, rules suspended, read by title.
- SB 997 SCHEDLER PUBLIC BUILDINGS/GROUNDS
  Revises authority of commissioner of administration to transfer or reallocate buildings or space. (gov sig)
  Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on APPROPRIATIONS.
- SB 1009 MCPHERSON COURTS

  Revises provisions regarding assessment of fees in criminal matters in the Pineville City Court.

  Received in the House from the Senate, rules suspended, read by title.
- SB 1010 CHAISSON SCHOOLS

  Eliminates exception in St. Charles Parish to the general rule that a member of any local school board may qualify and run for another public office without his school board seat being vacated. (gov sig)

  Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on HOUSE & GOV AFFAIRS.
- SB 1011 MICHOT PUBLIC CONTRACTS
  Requires performance-based energy contracts to be reviewed,
  approved, and overseen by the office of facility planning and
  control division of administration according to regulations it
  promulgates.
  Received in the House from the Senate, rules suspended,
  read by title.
- SB 1019 C D JONES VIDEO POKER

  Provides with respect to the Video Draw Poker Devices Control
  Law that imposes a two-year residence and domicile requirement
  on certain gaming applicants.

  Read by title, under the rules, referred to the
  Committee on ADMIN CRIM JUSTICE.
- SB 1029 HOLLIS ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

  Makes technical and grammatical corrections and specifies that out-of-state employees relocating to Louisiana qualify as "new direct jobs" under the "Louisiana Quality Jobs Program Act".

  (gov sig)

  Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments.
- SB 1033 B JONES MUSEUMS
  Establishes the Louisiana Military Museum and the Jean Lafitte

Marine Fisheries Museum within the Department of State. Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on MUN & PAROC AFFAIRS.

SB 1039 ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES

> Provides for obtaining permits for alcoholic beverages. (gov siq)

Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SB 1040 LENTINI ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES

Provides for obtaining permits for alcoholic beverages. (gov siq)

Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SB 1041 **IRONS** WILLS/TESTAMENTS

> Provides for the continued validity of certain previously executed testaments.

Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments.

SB 1054 LAW ENFORCEMENT

Provides certain powers to the chief of police in certain municipalities.

Read by title, under the rules, referred to the

Committee on MUN & PAROC AFFAIRS.

SB 1058 M SMITH PUBLIC LANDS

Authorizes the Board of Supervisors of Community and Technical Colleges to transfer title to certain property. (gov sig)

Read by title, under the rules, referred to the

Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.

SB 1079 ELLINGTON FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS

Revises qualifications for commissioner of the office of

financial institutions.

Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on COMMERCE.

SB 1093

C FIELDS MOTOR VEHICLES
Creates the Louisiana Leadership Institute special prestige

license plate.

Read by title, under the rules, referred to the

Committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.

SB 1097 DARDENNE TEACHERS RETIREMENT

Provides that the director and staff of the Louisiana Resource

Center for Educators are teachers for the purposes of

membership, relative to the Teachers Retirement System of

Louisiana. (gov sig)

Received in the House from the Senate, rules suspended,

read by title.

SB 1098 DARDENNE COURTS

Authorizes the Nineteenth Judicial District Court to designate

matters to be heard by specific divisions of the court.

Received in the House from the Senate, rules suspended,

read by title.

SB 1122 JOHNSON SPECIAL DISTRICTS

Provides relative to the Spring Lake Subdivision Improvement

District. (gov sig)

Received in the House from the Senate, rules suspended,

read by title.

SB 1126 ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT LENTINI

Changes the health insurance requirements for employees whose wages are equal to or greater than \$50,000 in order to qualify

under the "Louisiana Quality Jobs Program Act". (gov sig) Received in the House from the Senate, rules suspended,

read by title.

SCR C D JONES EDUCATION ACCOUNTABILITY 39

Requests the Dept. of Education to have an emergency education summit to focus on the disparate educational opportunities in certain parishes in northeast La. no later

than June 1, 2003. Read by title, rules suspended, concurred in.

SCR 45 LAMBERT HEALTH CARE

Requests LSU Medical Health Sciences Center and Tulane Medical Center to work with the Aneurysm Outreach, Inc., program to

make available portable ultrasound technology.

Signed by the Speaker of the House.

SCR 49 HEALTH/HOSPITALS DEPT HINES

- Establishes the Louisiana Diabetes Advisory Council. Reported with amendments (11-0) ()
- SCR 58 HOLDEN SEAFOOD

  Requests a study of the effects of mercury in seafood.

  Read by title, under the rules, referred to the

  Committee on HOUSE & GOV AFFAIRS.
- SCR 66 C ROMERO WATER/WATERWAYS
  Requests the study of Lake Henderson, and its long-term
  viability including water quality, economic development and
  tourism.

Signed by the Speaker of the House.

- SCR 70 SCHEDLER FEES/LICENSES/PERMITS
  Urges and requests appointments to the Board of Examiners in
  Dietetics and Nutrition be made on a timely basis.
  Read by title, rules suspended, concurred in.
- SCR 73 THEUNISSEN AIRCRAFT/AVIATION
  Urges and requests the owners and/or operators of certain towers and other structures to provide the location of such towers and structures to the DOTD and requests legislative committees for a study.

  Read by title, rules suspended, concurred in.
- SCR 80 M SMITH CONDOLENCES

  Expresses condolences upon the death of former United States
  Senator Russell Billiu Long.

  Received in the House from the Senate.

  Read by title, rules suspended, concurred in.
- SCR 81 MOUNT CONDOLENCES

  Expresses condolences upon the death of William Lasater "Bill"

  McLeod, Jr. of Lake Charles, former state senator and representative.

  Received in the House from the Senate.

  Read by title, rules suspended, concurred in.
- HB 19 FRITH RETIREMENT/JUDGES

  (Constitutional Amendment) Allows judges attaining 70 years of age to complete term of office

  Read by title, passed to 3rd reading regular calendar.
- HB 35 TOOMY SCHOOLS/BOARDS

  (Constitutional Amendment) Limits state mandates increasing the financial burden of local school boards

  Reported favorably (10,3) () To be recommitted to the Committee on CIVIL LAW&PROCEDURE.
- HB 52 G SMITH EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS
  Prohibits telemarketing activities during declared states of emergency
  Read third time by title, roll called on final passage, yeas 104, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.
- HB 86 MURRAY RETIREMENT/JUDGES

  (Constitutional Amendment) Prohibits a judge from remaining in office beyond his 75th birthday

  Read by title, amended, ordered reengrossed, passed to 3rd reading regular calendar.
- HB 129 LANCASTER CURRICULA/DRIVER ED

  Requires instruction relative to organ and tissue donation

  Read third time by title, amended, roll called on final passage, yeas 97, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.
- HB 130 J R SMITH PROPERTY/PUBLIC
  Authorizes the exchange of land between the Department of
  Agriculture and Forestry and the Cooper Cemetery Association in
  Beauregard Parish
  Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House.
- HB 134 PINAC FIRE PROTECT/FIRE MARSHA
  Requires rules promulgated by the fire marshal be submitted to the House Committee on Commerce and Senate Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs
  Reported with amendments (8-0) (Regular)
- HB 221 FARRAR CRIMINAL/PENALTIES
  Provides for the suspension of a driver's license for failure to pay fines assessed as a criminal penalty
  Reported with amendments (10-0) (Regular)

- ΗB 225 PINAC FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS Eliminates filing requirements with the secretary of state Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House. ΗB 249 CIVIL/PROCEDURE Repeals statute allowing right of direct action against insurer Read by title, amended, returned to the calendar subject to call. HB 262 **FARRAR** DWI Provides for the blood alcohol concentration level in certain instances relative to crime of operating a vehicle while intoxicated Reported with amendments (6-2) (Regular) HB 267 FUNDS/FUNDING Provides relative to hotel/motel sales tax dedications in Vermilion Parish Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House. HB 278 CRANE STUDENT/LOANS-SCHOLARSHP Increases the number of high school core curriculum units that must be successfully completed for eligibility for TOPS Opportunity, Performance, and Honors awards Reported favorably (13-0) (Regular) HB 312 PINAC CREDIT/CONSUMER Exempts nonpublic elementary and secondary schools that finance their tuition from the requirement to file a notice with the commissioner of financial institutions Read third time by title, roll called on final passage, yeas 101, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate. HB 365 G SMITH CHILDREN/SUPPORT Authorizes the suspension of licenses for a pattern of nonpayment of support Read by title, amended, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar. 367 HB R CARTER INSURANCE CLAIMS Provides for timely offer of settlement to third party claimants Reported with amendments (9-0) (Regular)  $_{\mathrm{HB}}$ 370 LOCAL FINANCE (Constitutional Amendment) Authorizes local governments to provide capital from certain revenue sources for industrial development purposes Read by title, amended, ordered reengrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar. 388 EXCEP PERSON/DISABLED HB Provides for handicapped parking spaces for certain vehicles on ferries which cross the Mississippi River Read by title, amended, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar. HB 404 HUDSON FAMILY VIOLENCE Authorizes the use of electronic monitoring equipment in certain domestic violence cases Reported with amendments (6-0) (Regular) HB 432 AIRCRAFT/AIRPORTS Provides relative to the extension of certain airport leases Read by title, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar. HB 439 STUDENT/LOANS-SCHOLARSHP MARTINY Permits certain high school students completing honors or advanced placement courses and having a minimum cumulative grade point average of 3.00 to qualify for TOPS Performance Awards under specified circumstances Reported with amendments (9-7) (Regular) WELCH LEVEES/BDS & DISTRICTS
  Authorizes construction of bike paths and walkways along the HB 458 main line levees of the Mississippi River in Ascension, East Baton Rouge, Iberville, and St. James Parishes
- HB 494 JOHNS CRIMINAL/PROCEDURE
  Provides for the recusal of judges in criminal cases
  Reported favorably (9-0) (Regular)

3rd reading - regular calendar.

Read by title, amended, ordered engrossed, passed to

- HB 520 **JOHNS** MALPRACTICE/MEDICAL Provides for qualifications of medical expert witnesses in certain medical malpractice actions Read third time by title, amended, roll called on final passage, yeas 101, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate. 535 HB STUDENT/LOANS-SCHOLARSHP Permits certain students to qualify for a TOPS Opportunity Award based on academic performance while attending an eligible college or university Reported favorably (11,0) () To be recommitted to the Committee on APPROPRIATIONS. 547 HB **FAUCHEUX** SCHOOLS/FINANCE (Constitutional Amendment) Permits legislative amendment of the MFP formula adopted by BESE Reported favorably (6,4) () To be recommitted to the Committee on CIVIL LAW&PROCEDURE. HB 549 FUTRELL STUDENT/LOANS-SCHOLARSHP Provides that the ACT composite score needed by certain students to be eligible for a TOPS Opportunity Award shall never be less than 20 Reported favorably (12-0) (Regular) HB 575 STUDENT/LOANS-SCHOLARSHP For TOPS, provides relative to residency, citizenship, and other initial and continuing eligibility requirements, certain required agency rules, and eligibility for multiple awards and refers to court-ordered custodians rather than legal gu Reported favorably (9-0) (Regular) HB 594 SCALISE PUBLIC EMPLOYEES (Constitutional Amendment) Prohibits the state and its political subdivisions and governmental agencies from requiring certain public employees to reside or have a domicile in a particular place Reported with amendments. (7,3) () To be recommitted to the committee on CIVIL LAW&PROCEDURE. HB 623 THOMPSON FORESTRY Provides relative to timber sales without the consent of certain minority ownership interests Notice given subject to call. HB 625 WALSWORTH MORTGAGES Provides for advance fees collected by loan and mortgage Read by title, amended, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.  $^{\mathrm{HB}}$ 634 PROPERTY/COMMUNITY Requires the partition of community property within two years from the filing of a partition Read by title, returned to the calendar subject to call. Notice given subject to call. HB 644 CRANE STUDENT/LOANS-SCHOLARSHP Provides alternative eligibility requirements for TOPS-Tech and Opportunity awards for certain students receiving La. high school equivalency diplomas Reported favorably (11-0) (Regular) 653 HB K CARTER SCHOOLS/BOARDS (Constitutional Amendment) Requires members of city, parish, and other local public school boards to take a specified oath of office Read by title, amended, ordered reengrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar. HB 662 BRUNEAU JUDGES (Constitutional Amendment) Provides for the qualifications of office for judges
  Read by title, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar. HB 665 DOERGE STUDENT/LOANS-SCHOLARSHP
- HB 665

  DOERGE STUDENT/LOANS-SCHOLARSHP

  Relative to TOPS eligibility, provides an alternative means for determining residency of certain dependent students whose parents or legal guardians reside in an adjoining state

  Reported with amendments (10-0) (Regular)
- HB 690 FARRAR DWI
  Provides for eligibility to receive a restricted driver's license
  Reported favorably (8-0) (Regular)

HB 696 JOHNS TRAFFIC

Provides for the payment of traffic fines by mail when a person pleads nolo contendere

Read third time by title, roll called on final passage, yeas 99, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.

- HB 713 HUTTER MTR VEHICLE/SEAT BELTS

  Requires child passenger restraint systems, according to age and weight, for children transported in motor vehicles

  Read by title, amended, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading regular calendar.
- HB 720 HILL JUVENILES
  Authorizes the parish of Allen to be included in the truancy and assessment and service center pilot program
  Reported favorably (9-0) (Regular)
- HB 802 TRICHE AMUSEMENTS/CARNIVALS
  Creates the Louisiana Carnival and Amusement Rider Safety Act
  Read third time by title, amended, roll called on final
  passage, yeas 98, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted,
  ordered to the Senate.
- HB 813 TOWNSEND PROPERTY/COMMUNITY
  Provides for the allocation of community property regarding pension and retirement plans
  Read by title, returned to the calendar subject to call.
  Called from the calendar.
  Read by title, amended, returned to the calendar subject to call.
  Notice given subject to call.
- HB 829 HAMMETT SUNSET LAW

  Re-creates the Department of Revenue

  Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House.
- HB 830 HAMMETT TAX/TAXATION

  Requires the secretary of the Department of Revenue to remove or reduce interest on refunds issued to a taxpayer in error Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House.
- HB 847 J R SMITH PUBLIC BLDGS/GROUNDS-ST
  Designates a building on the Leesville/Fort Polk campus of
  Northwestern State University as the "Chester Creighton Owen
  Building"
  Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House.
- HB 893 HAMMETT REVENUE DEPARTMENT
  Requires the secretary of the Department of Revenue to promulgate rules and regulations in accordance with the Administrative Procedures Act
  Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House.
- HB 942 DOWNER MILITARY AFFAIRS
  Provides for the office of homeland security and emergency preparedness
  Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House.
- HB 965 J R SMITH ASSESSORS

  Provides for membership of the Insurance Committee of the Assessors' Insurance Fund

  Read by title, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading regular calendar.
- HB 980 SNEED ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURE
  Requires that the copy of a proposed agency rule which is provided to the appropriate legislative oversight committee be coded to show language added to or deleted from existing rules Reported favorably (13-0) (Regular)
- HB 993 LAFLEUR TELECOMMUNICATIONS
  Prohibits the transmission of unsolicited commercial electronic mail advertisements from Louisiana or to a Louisiana electronic mail address
  Becomes HB 2015.
- HB 1018 JOHNS PHARMACISTS
  Authorizes the Louisiana Board of Pharmacy to obtain criminal history record information and requires submission to a drug screen or evaluation n any person applying for any license or permit which the board may issue

  Reported with amendments (11-0) (Regular)
- HB 1032 HAMMETT FEES/LICENSES/PERMITS

Authorizes Louisiana Tax Commission to assess fees for its services through June 30, 2004

Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House.

HB 1049 HEALTH CARE

> Provides relative to the licensing of chiropractors Reported favorably (9-0) (Regular)

HB 1060 BEARD WATER/RESOURCES

Establishes the reclaimed water program for the protection of natural resources

Becomes HB 2016.

HB 1066 HAMMETT TAX/SALES & USE

Provides for an increase in the threshold for filing quarterly tax returns

Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House.

HB 1122 AIRCRAFT/AIRPORTS OUEZAIRE

> Adds members to the board of commissioners of the Louisiana Airport Authority and provides relative to the powers of such

board

Read third time by title, amended, roll called on final passage, yeas 99, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted,

ordered to the Senate.

HB 1145 HUTTER CIVIL/DONATIONS

Prohibits certain persons from witnessing testaments Read third time by title, amended, roll called on final passage, yeas 97, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted,

ordered to the Senate.

HB 1202 LICENSING FUTRELL

Provides for licensing of individuals who install and service heating, ventilation, air conditioning, and refrigeration

(HVACR) equipment

Called from the calendar.

Read by title, amended, returned to the calendar subject

to call.

HB 1328 PTNAC LICENSING

Licenses persons who perform mold assessment and mold

remediation services

Read by title, returned to the calendar subject to call.

Notice given subject to call.

HB 1333 DANIEL NOTARIES

Provides for appointment of ex officio notaries for university

police departments

Read by title, amended, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.

HB 1336 STUDENT/LOANS-SCHOLARSHP

Permits, under specified conditions and limitations, subsequent use of certain TOPS awards at eligible La. institutions by otherwise qualified students who enroll as first-time freshmen

in out-of-state colleges or universities Reported with amendments (10-0) (Regular)

HB 1364 STUDENT/LOANS-SCHOLARSHP

Permits certain students to qualify for a TOPS award based on

student performance as a college freshman

Reported favorably (10,5) () To be recommitted to the

Committee on APPROPRIATIONS.

HB 1377 DEWITT MALPRACTICE/MEDICAL

Provides relative to the Medical Malpractice Act

Read third time by title, roll called on final passage, yeas 95, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted,

ordered to the Senate.

HB 1395 DIVORCE TOWNSEND

Provides for the termination of interim spousal support

Read by title, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd

reading - regular calendar.

HB 1408 DEWITT MALPRACTICE/MEDICAL

Provides relative to the Medical Malpractice Act and the

Patient's Compensation Fund

Read by title, returned to the calendar subject to call.

HB 1548 ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PINAC

Creates the Louisiana Applied Polymer Technology Extension

Consortium

Read by title, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.

HB 1549 DEWITT MALPRACTICE/MEDICAL
Provides relative to the Medical Malpractice Act and the
Patient's Compensation Fund

Read third time by title, amended, roll called on final passage, yeas 103, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.

HB 1572 FAUCHEUX RACING/HORSE

Authorizes the conduct of harness or standardbred races by a licensed racing association in the state

Read by title, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd

Read by title, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.

HB 1728 PINAC HIGHWAYS

Provides for the adding and deleting of certain highways and sections of highways in the statutory provisions of the Louisiana Byways

Read third time by title, amended, roll called on final passage, yeas 102, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.

HB 1750 DANIEL TAX/SALES-USE, LOCAL

Provides for the taxable nature of cellular and PCS telephones or other wireless PC device or electronic accessory physically connected with such telephones used in connection with the sale or use of mobile telecommunications services

Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House.

HB 1793 DEWITT MTR VEHICLE/LICEN PLATES

Increases the fee for issuance of certain special personalized prestige license plates

Read third time by title, roll called on final passage, yeas 97, nays 0. The bill, having received two-thirds vote of the members elect, was finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.

HB 1795 FUTRELL COMMERCIAL REGS/ANTITRUS

Limits the capacity of parent entities to conspire with subsidiaries they control

Read third time by title, roll called on final passage, yeas 104, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.

HB 1808 JOHNS EVIDENCE

Provides for the use of data stored in portable electronic storage devices in court proceedings

Read third time by title, roll called on final passage, yeas 103, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.

HB 1812 FAUCHEUX CIVIL/CLAIMS

Authorizes certain causes of action against sponsors and participants of bonfire presentations on the Mississippi River levee

Read by title, amended, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.

HB 1829 RICHMOND MTR VEHICLE/TOWING

Provides relative to definitions in the Louisiana Towing and Storage Act

Read third time by title, amended, roll called on final passage, yeas 100, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.

HB 1834 SWILLING MTR VEHICLE/LICEN PLATES

Provides for the creation of the Beacon Light Baptist Church, Greater St. Stephens Ministries, and the New Home Ministries prestige license plates

Rules suspended, called out of its regular order. Read third time by title, amended, roll called on final passage, yeas 84, nays 7. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.

HB 1839 BAYLOR FAMILY VIOLENCE

Provides for the authority of hearing officers in juvenile courts

Reported favorably (9-0) (Regular)

HB 1843 MARTINY WILLS/TESTAMENTS

Provides for the continued validity of certain previously executed testaments

Read by title, amended, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.

HB 1850 HOPKINS MTR VEHICLE/TOWING

Provides relative to the surrender of a vehicle to a lien holder

Read by title, returned to the calendar subject to call.

HB 1851 DEVILLIER FIRE PROTECT/FIRE DEPTS
Provides that local arson investigators may attend schools and training courses for certification and qualification by the Council on Peace Officer Standards and Training
Reported favorably (10-0) (Regular)

HB 1869 PINAC UTILITIES
Changes the definition of "proposed schedule" to include only rates of services deemed noncompetitive by the Public Service Commission

Read by title, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.

HB 1887 LEBLANC FUNDS/FUNDING
Provides for the determination of the amount of estimated aggregate investment earnings from investment of the Millennium Trust which is available for appropriation
Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House.

HB 1889 LUCAS CREDIT/CONSUMER

Provides relative to certain fees and charges under the Louisiana Consumer Credit Law

Read third time by title, roll called on final passage, yeas 97, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.

HB 1899 DIEZ MTR VEHICLE/TRUCKS
Increases the width of vehicles in regular operation on certain highways
Read by title, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.

HB 1900 DIEZ MTR VEHICLE/TRUCKS
Provides relative to the fees collected from issuance of special permits and payments for penalties and creates a special Read by title, amended, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.

HB 1903 McVEA PUBLIC CONTRACT/BIDS

Provides a temporary exception to the public bid law for certain bridges constructed or reconstructed by a parish governing authority

Read by title, amended, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.

HB 1907 WINSTON CHILDREN/CUSTODY
Provides with respect to the relocation of a child's residence
Read by title, amended, ordered engrossed, passed to
3rd reading - regular calendar.

HB 1994 WELCH SECONDHAND DEALERS
Prohibits a second hand dealer from selling or offering for sale articles of clothing which displays the insignia of a law enforcement agency or public utility company
Read third time by title, roll called on final passage, yeas 101, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.

HB 2000 ODINET INSURANCE/HOMEOWNERS
Provies that rates for homeowners insurance may not vary more than 5% between parishes that are contiguous
Read third time by title, amended, roll called on final passage, yeas 47, nays 36. Failed to pass, motion to reconsider pending.

HB 2008 ANSARDI CIVIL/JURIES
Provides relative to jury service
Notice given subject to call.

HB 2009 DEVILLIER CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES
Creates the crime of possession of twelve grams or more of ephedrine, pseudoephedrine, or phenylpropanolamine
Read third time by title, amended, roll called on final passage, yeas 95, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.

HB 2010 MURRAY NURSING HOMES
Authorizes the Milne Home for Girls to operate as an adult residential care home
Read third time by title, roll called on final passage, yeas 97, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.

- HB 2011 LANCASTER REAPPORTIONMENT/HOUSE

  Provides for the composition of House Districts Nos. 11, 12, 52, 53, 74, 75, 79, 80, 81, and 82

  Read third time by title, roll called on final passage, yeas 76, nays 19. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.
- HB 2012 HEBERT INSURANCE

  Provides for the standard nonforfeiture law for individual deferred annuities

  Read third time by title, roll called on final passage, yeas 100, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.
- HB 2013 TOWNSEND AQUACULTURE

  Provides for the Louisiana Aquaculture Coordinating Council

  Read by title, returned to the calendar subject to call.
- HB 2014 WALSWORTH MALPRACTICE/MEDICAL
  Provides for the dismissal of medical malpractice claims for failure to appoint an attorney chairman for the state and private medical review panels

  Read by title, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading regular calendar.
- HB 2015 LAFLEUR TELECOMMUNICATIONS

  Prohibits the transmission of unsolicited commercial electronic mail advertisements fromLouisiana or to a Louisiana electronic mail address

  Read by title, substitute title adopted, lies over in the same order of business, substitute for HB No. 993.
- HB 2016 BEARD WATER/RESOURCES
  Establishes the reclaimed water program for the protection of natural resources
  Read by title, substitute title adopted, lies over in the same order of business, substitute for HB No. 1060.
- HR 50
  HONEY COMMENDATIONS
  Recognizes the men's track team and the coaches and staff of Southern University for winning their straight SWAC track championship
  Enrolled, signed by the Speaker of the House and taken by the Clerk of the House to the Secretary of State in accordance with the Rules of the House.
- HR 51 HONEY COMMENDATIONS

  Commends the Southern University women's tennis team upon winning the Southwestern Athletic Conference Championship Enrolled, signed by the Speaker of the House and taken by the Clerk of the House to the Secretary of State in accordance with the Rules of the House.
- HR 52 HONEY COMMENDATIONS

  Recognizes the women's track team, coaches and staff of Southern University for winning the SWAC track championship Enrolled, signed by the Speaker of the House and taken by the Clerk of the House to the Secretary of State in accordance with the Rules of the House.
- HR 53 HONEY COMMENDATIONS

  Commends the Southern University women's golf team upon winning the 2003 SWAC Women's Golf Championship

  Enrolled, signed by the Speaker of the House and taken by the Clerk of the House to the Secretary of State in accordance with the Rules of the House.
- HR 54 HONEY COMMENDATIONS

  Commends the Southern University men's tennis team upon winning the Southwestern Athletic Conference Championship

  Enrolled, signed by the Speaker of the House and taken by the Clerk of the House to the Secretary of State in accordance with the Rules of the House.
- HR 55 GALLOT COMMENDATIONS

  Commends John C. Bell posthumously upon his induction into the 2003 Corney Creek Hall of Fame by the Bernice Historical Society

  Enrolled, signed by the Speaker of the House and taken by the Clerk of the House to the Secretary of State in accordance with the Rules of the House.
- HR 56 M STRAIN CONDOLENCES

  Expresses the condolences of the House of Representatives upon the death of Folsom Police Officer Randall Spearman

Enrolled, signed by the Speaker of the House and taken by the Clerk of the House to the Secretary of State in accordance with the Rules of the House.

- HR 57 M STRAIN SPECIAL DAY/WEEK/MONTH
  Recognizes May 11, 2003, through May 17, 2003, as Food Allergy
  Awareness Week
  Enrolled, signed by the Speaker of the House and taken by
  the Clerk of the House to the Secretary of State in
- HR 58 LANDRIEU SPECIAL DAY/WEEK/MONTH

  Recognizes May 15, 2003, as Peace Officers Memorial Day

  Enrolled, signed by the Speaker of the House and taken by
  the Clerk of the House to the Secretary of State in
  accordance with the Rules of the House.

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- HR 59 DOWNER FISHING/SHRIMP

  Urges and requests state casinos to use Louisiana seafood in particular shrimp

  Read by title, rules suspended, adopted.
- HR 60 SCHNEIDER CONDOLENCES

  Expresses condolences upon the death of Kevin McRae Haynie and recognizes his outstanding accomplishments

  Read by title, rules suspended, adopted.
- HCR 53 LAFLEUR COMMERCIAL REGULATIONS
  Amends certain administrative rules relative to professional land surveryors and professional engineers
  Becomes HCR 155.
- HCR 131 FAUCHEUX TAX/INCOME TAX
  Suspends the provision of law which imposes penalty for underpayment of state income tax
  Read by title, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading.
- HCR 152 FLAVIN COMMENDATIONS
  Commends Reverend Monsignor Irving A. DeBlanc upon the sixty-fifth anniversary of his ordination to the priesthood Received from the Senate without amendments.
- HCR 153

  DOERGE CONDOLENCES

  Expresses condolences upon the death of retired Judge Charles
  A. "Corky" Marvin

  Received from the Senate without amendments.
- HCR 154 CROWE COMMENDATIONS

  Commends Coach Wayne Grubb of Slidell High School

  Received from the Senate without amendments.
- HCR 155 LAFLEUR COMMERCIAL REGULATIONS

  Amends certain administrative rules relative to professional land surveyors

  Read by title, substitute title adopted, lies over in the same order of business, substitute for HCR No. 53.
- HCR 156 WELCH CONGRESS

  Memorializes congress to provide fiscal relief for Louisiana by enacting a balanced tax cut with fiscal relief for the states

  Read by title, rules suspended, adopted, ordered to the Senate.